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Annual Report of the Town Offices of

Dalton, New Hampshire

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For the year ending December 31, 2008

DALTON TOWN WARRANT

You are hereby notified to meet at the Municipal Building in Dalton, NH on Tuesday, the 10th day of March 2009, to act upon the itemized subjects to follow. The polls will open at 8 a.m. in the forenoon and will close at 7 p.m. The business meeting will be held in the Gymnasium and will be opened at 7 o'clock in the evening.

1. To elect all necessary officers for the year.

2. Are you in favor of having two sessions for the annual town election / town meeting? The first session to be held, as required by law, on the 2nd Tuesday of March for election of town officers. The second session to be held on the Saturday following town election, for transaction of other business.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Eighty Five Thousand Dollars One Hundred Seventy Seven ($685,177) for general town operations.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000) to be added to the Highway Department Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve Fund. Selectmen recommend this article.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) to be added to the Sewer Pump Renovation and Replacement Capital Reserve Fund. Selectmen recommend this article.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) to be added to the Fire Department Vehicle Equipment Capital Reserve Fund. Selectmen recommend this article.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Thousand dollars ($25,000) to be added to the Paving Capital Reserve Fund. Selectmen recommend this article.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) to be added to the Pay Per Bag Replacement Fund previously established for the repurchase of bags for the "Pay Per Bag" system. The source of these funds will be 25 cents from each bag sold. No taxes will be raised with this appropriation. Selectmen recommend this article.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Dollars ($1,200) to go towards replacing the fence at the Cushman Cemetery. Such funds to come from the 2008 unexpended fund balance. No taxes will be raised with this appropriation.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Three Thousand Eight Hundred Dollars ($23,800) to purchase a 2009 police cruiser and authorize the withdrawal of Twenty Two Thousand One Hundred Dollars ($22,100) from the Police Cruiser Capital Reserve Fund. The balance of One Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars ($1,700) to come from the unexpended fund balance.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000) to be added to the Police Cruiser Capital Reserve Fund. Such funds to come from the sale of the 2003 police department cruiser. No taxes will be raised for this article.

12. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Thousand Nine Hundred Ten Dollars ($7,910) to be placed in the Town Owned Buildings Improvement, Expansion and Renovation Fund. Such funds to come from the 2008 unexpended fund balance from monies received from the 15 Mile Falls Fund. Selectmen recommend this article.

13. To see if the town will vote to discontinue the Revaluation Capital Reserve Account created in 1994, the Highway Equipment Backhoe Account created in 2000, the Cemetery Care Expendable Trust Fund Account created in 2001, and the Library Technology Equipment Expendable Trust Fund created in 1995. This is a housekeeping article as the town has previously voted to use all of the funds in these accounts. Majority Vote required.

14. To see if the Town will vote to change the Conservation Commission's presently allocated 50% of the Land Use Change Tax monies annually received by the Town to 5% of the annual Current Use monies received by the Town. Petitioned article.

15. To see if the town will vote to relocate the library from the old Town Hall to the Municipal Building (formerly known as the Dalton Elementary School) and to authorize the withdrawal of up to $4,000 (four thousand dollars) from the Town Owned Building Replacement, Expansion & Renovation Capital Reserve for the purpose of purchasing necessary shelving for the new library. This move is to be made prior to June 1, 2009. Petitioned article.

16. To see if the town will vote to instruct the Board of Selectmen to continue to maintain the Dalton Town Hall (741 Dalton Road) and keep it open year round. Since 1845 this building has served the citizens and organizations of the town, and also houses the Dalton Public Library. Keeping the Town Hall open will be necessary for the newly formed Friends of the Dalton Town Hall to be able to obtain grants for upkeep and improvements to this historic building. Funds raised by the Friends of the Dalton Town Hall will offset a large portion of the operating costs of the building. Petitioned article.

17. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

Brian Hardy
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Operating Budget	Appropriated 2008	Actual 2008	Proposed 2009
Executive			
Board of Selectmen		4,500	
Printing & Public Notices		1,540	
Miscellaneous & Dues		965	
Total Executive	**7,500**	**6,972**	**7,500**
Other General Government			
Lunenburg, Gilman, Concord Senior Meals	500	500	500
Tri County Cap Meals	215	215	215
Caleb Group	1,650	1,650	1,650
Mount Washington Regional Airport	695	695	695
North Country Council	979	979	979
Total Other General Government	**4,039**	**4,039**	**4,039**
Property-Liability Insurance	**16,500**	**15,931**	**17,500**
Town Clerk			
Town Clerk Salary		1,000	
Town Clerk Fees		3,291	
Department of Agriculture		754	
Office Expenses		531	
Deputy Town Clerk		1,023	
Payments to State Vital Records		230	
Total Town Clerk	**8,000**	**6,829**	**8,000**
Voter Registration & Election			
Supervisors' Salaries		1,183	
Supplies, Postage & Notices		15	
Election Workers		1,585	
Election Miscellaneous		606	
Total Voter Registration & Election	**4,000**	**3,389**	**1,000**
Financial Administration			
Salaries & Fees		38,569	
Auditor		5,600	
Assessor		10,200	
Registry Fees		347	
Maintenance, Supplies & Dues		6,591	
Postage		3,012	
Mapping		1,406	

RSA's		515	
Total Financial Administration	**68,000**	**66,240**	**73,000**
Legal Expenses			
Dannis		8,682	
Dalton Hydro		160	
Rzepa		1,909	
Toto		316	
Wireless		400	
Miscellaneous		1,141	
Total Legal Expense	**50,000**	**12,608**	**25,000**
Personnel Administration			
Social Security	14,300	12,925	12,000
Medicare	3,500	3,024	2,800
State Unemployment Tax	500	96	750
Workers' Compensation Fund	13,630	14,063	17,603
Employee Health Insurance	82,785	81,889	53,100
Total Personnel Administration	**114,715**	**111,997**	**86,253**
Planning & Zoning			
Postage		37	
Secretary Salary		500	
Miscellaneous		332	
Total Planning & Zoning	**1,500**	**869**	**1,500**
General Government Buildings			
Utilities - Old Town Hall		8,271	
Utilities - New Municipal Building		12,266	
Custodian		1,188	
Maintenance & Repairs		2,814	
Total General Government Buildings	**27,000**	**24,539**	**35,000**
Police Department			
Chief's Salary		12,500	
Specials Pay		8,976	
Gasoline		5,276	
Vehicle Expenses		2,361	
Telephone, cell phone & pagers		1,192	
Dues & Conventions		371	
Equipment Maintenance		373	
Reference Material		839	
Office Expenses		3,366	

Training		1,057	
Total Police	**38,000**	**36,311**	**37,000**
Fire Department			
Building Maintenance		1,228	
Maintenance, Refills, & Repairs		3,990	
Utilities		4,804	
New Equipment		5,888	
Chief's Salary		1,000	
Salaries		4,599	
Dues		350	
Training		512	
Gas & Diesel		1,029	
Supplies		697	
Uniforms		366	
Fire Prevention		282	
Total Fire Department	**26,000**	**24,745**	**26,000**
Forest Fire Control	**1,000**	**---**	**1,000**
Emergency Management	**750**	**689**	**750**
Ambulance	**5,380**	**5,380**	**5,380**
Cemeteries	**5,000**	**3,737**	**5,000**
Highway Department			
Highway Salaries		120,834	
Building Maintenance, Utilities & Repairs		17,081	
Uniforms		1,500	
Office & Shop Supplies		4,291	
Vehicles Maintenance & Repairs		19,912	
Maintenance & Supplies		6,897	
Asphalt, Gravel & Dust Control		22,835	
Gas & Diesel		44,310	
Snow & Ice Control		18,063	
Total Highway Department	**241,000**	**255,723**	**224,500**
Street Lighting	**1,000**	**1,042**	**1,100**
Solid Waste			
Disposal Fees		19,706	
Utilities		1,189	

Maintenance, Repairs & Supplies		320	
Training		150	
Well Testing		1,980	
Salaries		18,677	
Total Solid Waste	**42,500**	**42,022**	**42,500**
Sewage Disposal			
Payments to Lunenburg		7,360	
Utilities		1,628	
Maintenance & Repairs		293	
Total Sewage Disposal	**12,500**	**9,281**	**12,000**
Health Administration	**750**	**325**	**750**
Health Agencies			
Weeks Home Health	4,937	4,937	5,085
Ammonoosuc Community Health	750	750	750
White Mountain Mental Health	1,136	1,136	1,136
Total Health Agencies	**6,823**	**6,823**	**6,971**
Animal Control	**750**	**---**	**750**
Welfare			
Direct Assistance	3,000	2,641	5,000
Community Action Program	1,000	1,000	1,150
Total Welfare	**4,000**	**3,641**	**6,150**
Library	**11,833**	**11,833**	**12,833**
Parks & Recreation	**500**	**173**	**300**
Patriotic Purposes	**200**	**113**	**200**
Conservation Commission	**700**	**700**	**700**
Principal-Long Term Debt	**26,692**	**29,717**	**29,752**
Interest-Long Term Debt	**8,070**	**3,057**	**6,749**
Interest-Tax Anticipation Note	**5,000**	**----**	**5,000**
Capital Outlay	**1,000**	**----**	**1,000**
Total Operating Budget	**740,702**	**688,725**	**685,177**

Warrant Articles

Transfers from General Fund to Capital Reserve Accts.	114,000	114,000	68,910
"Pay Per Bag" Replacement Fund #10	1,000	1,000	1,000
Digital Ally in Car Video System	4,195	4,195	
Revaluation of Dalton Hydro Dam	10,000	10,000	
Total Warrant Articles	**129,195**	**129,195**	**69,910**

Other Payments:	
Conservation Commission (50% of Current Use Revenue)	13,299
Overpayments	2,015
NIMS Training	6,000
Tax Lien	178,227
Total Other Payments:	**199,541**

Taxes Paid to County	373,578
Taxes Paid to School	900,142
Total Payments made To Other Government Entities	**1,273,720**

SELECTBOARD REPORT

The past year has seen joy and sadness in the Town of Dalton. Dean Sweeney, who for 18 years served as selectman and helped man the volunteer fire department, passed away following a valiant fight with cancer.

Just prior to his death, the Selectboard presented to Mr. Sweeney a citation naming the town's transfer station, the Dean Sweeney Recycling Center. More than anyone, Mr. Sweeney was responsible for the town having a first class facility.

More recently, Mr. James "Jim" Newton, Jr., also of French Road, passed away suddenly. Mr. Newton was a proud farmer and beekeeper and could horse trade with the best of them.

On a positive note, town offices moved into the former Dalton Elementary School after acquiring the building and grounds for $1 from the White Mountains Regional School District. The handover occurred after more than a year of negotiations. The building also houses the police department.

A decades old tradition of "roll up your sleeves" volunteerism was evidenced in the lead up to moving into the former school building. Leading the way were Town Clerk and Administrative Assistant Sandy York and Police Chief John Tholl and a number of volunteers who cleaned and repainted the property. Improvements have been made with no significant impact on taxpayers as proceeds from the 15 Mile Falls settlement have been used and a small surplus remains.

The Board has appointed Chief Tholl as manager of town buildings without compensation. Chief Tholl will serve as the point of contact for issues relating to town property. His dedication to the town has been incalculable.

The Board appointed an ad hoc committee to evaluate the continued use of the Old Town Hall as a meeting place. The committee transformed into the not-for-profit Friends of the Old Town Hall which is exploring the possibility of using private funds to maintain the building. The majority of the Selectboard does not want to see the Old Town Hall remain open at taxpayer expense and prefers that the library relocate to the newer building.

The issue is made more complicated by a report filed by the town's insurer the Local Government Center indicating that the Old Town Hall should not be occupied until significant life safety issues have been addressed.

The past year signaled a new partnership with the Department of Transportation (DOT), District 1. Selectman Michael Crosby led the town's effort to ensure that the Rix Brook culvert project be structurally and environmentally sound. He coalesced a coalition of groups that sided with the town.

On the administrative side of government, the state-mandated revaluation Dalton properties resulted in sticker shock to many owners as taxes surged 25 percent upward on average. This year our town spending decreased 7.5 percent thanks to zero based budgeting.

However, rampant school and county spending remains problematic. Dalton was well represented at the school district's deliberative session when more than $1 million was stripped from a more than $20 million package.

Coos County spending remains out of control with almost no accountability. The town's levy increased more than $100,000 this year.

We offer our sincere thanks to town employees and the host of volunteers who make Dalton a special place to live.

Brian R. Hardy, Chair
Vic St. Cyr
Michael Crosby

January

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Town offices closed	2	3 9:30 am Ladies Aid
4 Dancing 7-9	5 6pm Selectmen	6 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	7 7pm Planning Board	8	9	10 7pm Dalton Ridge Runners
11 Dancing 7-9	12 6pm Selectmen	13 7pm Auxiliary	14 7pm Grange	15 6:30 Conservation Commission	16	17
18 Dancing 7-9	19 6pm Selectmen	20 7pm Fire Dept Training	21	22	23	24
25 Dancing 7-9	26 6pm Selectmen 6:30 Budget Hearing	27	28	29	30	31

February

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 7pm School Budget Hearing	3 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	4 7pm Planning Board	5 7pm Historical Society	6	7 9:30 Ladies Aid
8	9 6pm Selectmen	10 7pm Auxiliary	11 7pm Grange	12	13	14
15	16 Town Offices Closed Due to Holiday	17 7pm Fire Dept Training	18	19 6:30 Conservation Commission	20	21 Dalton Ridge Runners Pig Roast
22	23 6pm Selectmen	24	25	26 Commodity Food Delivery	27	28 5pm Ham & Bean Supper

Dean Sweeney
Recycling Center
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Recycling Saves your tax
Dollars by Reducing the
amount of trash we must
pay to Dispose of

March

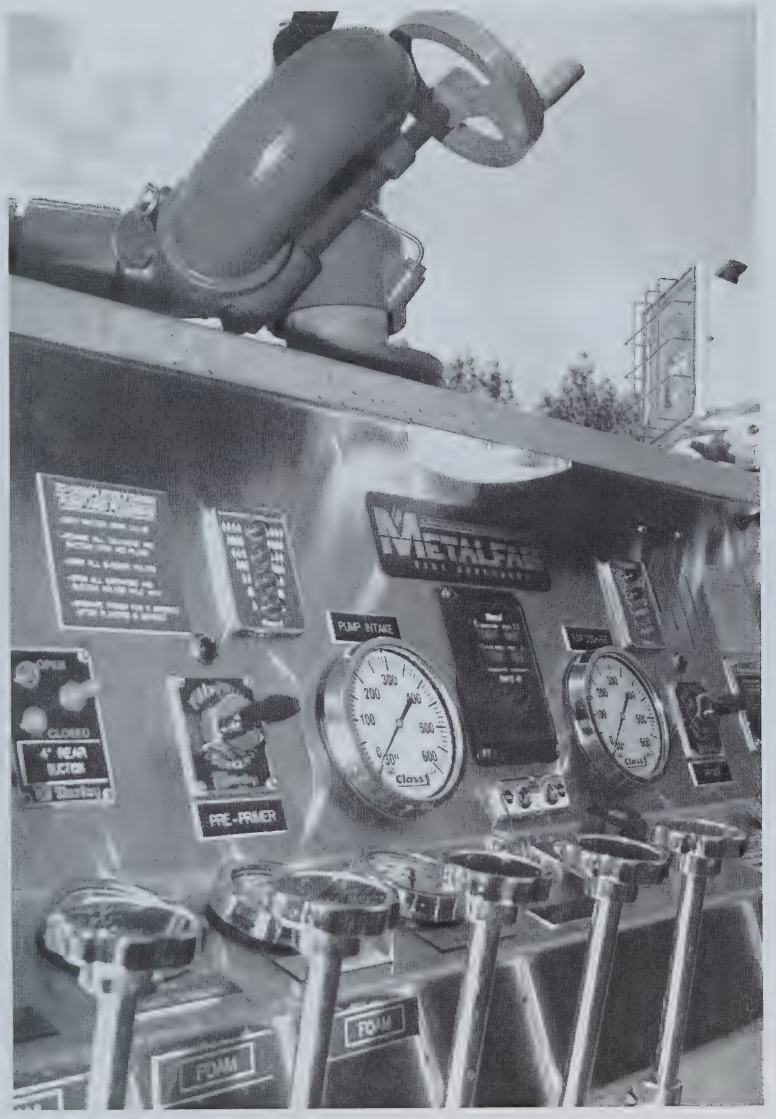
Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 6pm Selectmen	3 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	4 7pm Planning Board	5 7pm Historical Society	6	7 9:30am Ladies Aid
8	9 6pm Selectmen	10 8am-7pm Voting 7pm Town Meeting	11 7pm Grange	12	13	14 7pm Dalton Ridge Runners
15	16 6pm Selectmen	17 7pm Fire Dept Training 7pm Auxiliary	18	19 7pm Conservation Commission	20	21
22	23 6pm Selectmen	24	25	26	27	28
29	30 6pm Selectmen	31				

April

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 7pm Planning Board	2 7pm Historical Society	3	4 9:30am Ladies Aid
5	6 6pm Selectmen	7 7pm Fire Dept Buisness Meeting	8 7pm Grange	9	10	11 Dalton Ridge Runners
12	13 6pm Selectmen	14 7pm Auxiliary	15	16 6:30 Conservation Commission	17	18 9-3 Book Sale
19	20 6pm Selectmen	21 7pm Fire Dept Training	22	23 Commodity Food Delivery	24	25
26	27 6pm Selectmen	28	29	30		

May

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
					1	2 9:30 Ladies Aid
3	4 6pm Selectmen	5 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	6 7pm Planning Board	7 7pm Dalton Historical Society	8	9
10	11 6pm Selectmen	12 7pm Auxiliary	13 7pm Grange	14	15	16
17	18 6pm Selectmen	19 7pm Fire Dept Training	20	21 6:30 Conservation Commission	22	23
24 / 31	25 Town Offices Closed Due to Holiday	26	27	28	29	30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June

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 6pm Selectmen	2 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	3 7pm Planning Board	4 7pm Historical Society	5	6 9:30am Ladies Aid
7	8 6pm Selectmen	9 7pm Auxiliary	10 7pm Grange	11	12	13
14	15 6pm Selectmen	16 7pm Fire Dept Training	17	18 6:30 Conservation Commission	19	20
21	22 6pm Selectmen	23	24	25 Commodity Food Delivery	26	27
28	29 6pm Selectmen	30				

July

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1 7pm Planning Board	2 7pm Historical Society	3	4
5	6	7 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	8	9	10	11
12	13 6pm Selectmen	14 7pm Auxiliary	15	16 6:30 Conservation Commission	17	18
19	20 6pm Selectmen	21 7pm Fire Dept Training	22	23	24	25
26	27 6pm Selectmen	28	29	30	31	

August

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
						1 9:30 Ladies Aid
2	3 6pm Selectmen	4 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	5 7pm Planning Board	6 7pm Historical Society	7	8
9	10 6pm Selectmen	11 7pm Auxiliary	12 7pm Grange	13	14	15
16	17 6pm Selectmen	18 7pm Fire Dept Training	19	20 6:30 Conservation Commission	21	22
23 / 30	24 Selectmen 6pm / 6pm Selectmen 31	25	26	27 Commodity Food Delivery	28	29

September

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	2 7pm Planning Board	3 7pm Historical Society	4	5
6	7 Town Offices Closed Due to Holiday	8 7pm Auxiliary	9 7pm Grange	10	11	12 9:30am Ladies Aid
13	14 6pm Selectmen	15 7pm Fire Dept Training	16	17 6:30 Conservation Commission	18	19
20	21 6pm Selectmen	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 6pm Selectmen	29	30			

October

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 7pm Historical Society	2	3 9:30am Ladies Aid
4	5 6pm Selectmen	6 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	7 7pm Planning Board	8	9	10 7pm Dalton Ridge Runners
11	12 Town Offices Closed Due to Holiday	13 7pm Auxiliary	14 7pm Grange	15 6:30 Conservation Commission	16	17
18	19 6pm Selectmen	20 7pm Fire Dept Training	21	22 Commodity Food Delivery	23	24
25	26 6pm Selectmen	27	28	29	30	31

November

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2 6pm Selectmen	3 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	4 7pm Planning Board	5 7pm Historical Society	6	7 9:30 Ladies Aid
8	9 6pm Selectmen	10 7pm Auxiliary	11 Town Offices Closed Due to Holiday	12	13	14 10-3 Silver Tea 7pm Dalton Ridge Runners
15	16 6pm Selectmen	17 7pm Fire Dept Training	18	19 6:30 Conservation Commission	20	21
22	23 6pm Selectmen	24	25	26 Town Offices Closed Due to Holiday	27	28
29	30 6pm Selectmen					

December

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		1 7pm Fire Dept Business Meeting	2 7pm Planning Board	3 7pm Historical Society	4	5 9:30 Ladies Aid
6	7 6pm Selectmen	8 7pm Auxiliary	9 7pm Grange	10 Commodity Food Delivery	11	12 7pm Dalton Ridge Runners
13	14 6pm Selectmen	15 7pm Fire Dept Training	16	17 6:30 Conservation Commission	18	19
20	21 6pm Selectmen	22	23	24	25	26
27	28 6pm Selectmen	29	30	31		

ESTIMATED REVENUES AND CREDITS

Land Use Change Tax	13,000.00
Timber Yield Taxes	11,000.00
Interest and Penalties on Delinquent Taxes	55,000.00
Other Taxes	8,700.00
Inventory Penalties	1,500.00
Excavation Tax	2,500.00
Motor Vehicle Permit Fees	160,000.00
Other Licenses, Permits & Fees	3,000.00
Shared Revenue	7,638.00
Meals & Rooms Tax Distribution	45,829.00
Highway Block Grant	68,927.00
State & Federal Forest Land Reimbursement	393.00
Railroad Tax	510.00
Income from Departments	600.00
Other Charges	27,000.00
Sale of Municipal Property	15,700.00
Interest on Investments	6,000.00
Other Miscellaneous Revenue	4,000.00
Voted from Surplus	32,000.00
Loan & Capital Reserve for Fire Truck	226,000.00
Other State Miscellaneous Revenue	14,466.00
Trust and Agency Funds	650.00
Total Revenues and Credits	**$704,413.00**
Unexpended Fund Balance	21,500.00
Net Town Appropriations	**$725,913.00**

TAX RATE COMPUTATION

Appropriations	$1,110,897.00
Less Revenues	(725,913.00)
Less Shared Revenues	(7,179.00)
Add: Overlay	49,663.00
War Service Credits	42,000.00
Approved Town Effort	**$469,468.00**

Due to Regional School District	$1,630,879.00
Less Adequate Education Grant	(658,914.00)
State Education Taxes	(191,679.00)
Approved School Effort	**$780,286.00**

State Education Taxes	**$191,679.00**

Due to County	$373,578.00
Less Shared Revenue	(1,412.00)
Approved County Effort	**$372,166.00**

Total Property Taxes Assessed	$ 1,813,599.00
Less War Service Credits	(42,000.00)

Total Property Tax Commitment	**$ 1,771,599.00**

Approved Tax Rate

$19.50

Town - $5.02 Local School - $8.33 State School - $2.18

County - $3.97

REVENUE FROM THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

Highway Block Grant	81,108.49
Revenue Sharing	16,229.00
Flood Reimbursement	11,319.45
Rooms & Meals	45,828.83
NIMS Grant	6,000.00
Railroad Tax	510.42
Forest Lands	393.15
TOTAL	**$161,389.34**

REVENUE FROM SELECTMEN

Transfer from Cemetery Acct. to General Fund	605.48
Donations	100.00
Sale of Town Property	1,175.00
Income from Departments	1,147.08
Copy Money	485.65
Refuse Charges	6,335.48
Sale of Garbage Bags	17,545.00
Refunds	2,793.25
15 Mile Falls	7,910.00
Miscellaneous Revenue	215.32
Total	**$ 38,312.26**
Grand Total	**$ 199,701.60**

SELECTMEN'S REPORT SUMMARY INVENTORY

Current Use Land	$ 1,496,507.00
Residential Land	31,912,900.00
Commercial/Industrial Land	1,364,900.00
Residential Buildings	46,615,900.00
Manufactured Housing	5,675,000.00
Commercial/Industrial Buildings	851,200.00
Public Utilities	5,938,435.00
Total Valuation Before Exemptions	**$93,854,842.00**
Less Elderly Exemptions	185,900.00
Net Valuation	**$93,668,942.00**

SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

Municipal Land, Buildings and Contents	$1,070,000.00
Furniture and Equipment	60,000.00
Police Department Equipment	40,000.00
Library Furniture and Equipment	125,000.00
Fire Station Building and Contents	200,000.00
Fire Department Vehicles	400,000.00
Town Highway Garage and Contents	300,000.00
Highway Department Vehicles	450,000.00
Transfer Station, Equipment and Contents	75,000.00
Parks and Playgrounds	26,000.00
Pump Station and Contents	150,000.00
Total Town Property	**$ 2,896,000.00**

TRUSTEE OF TRUST FUNDS

Financial Report for January 1, 2008 thru December 31, 2008

	Principal				Income				Total
Name	Beginning Balance	New Funds Added	Expended	Ending Balance	Beginning Balance	Interest	Expended	Ending Balance	Principal & Income
Perpetual Care	20,328.90	--	--	20,328.90	--	605.48	605.48	--	20,328.90
Fire Dept Vehicle	89,205.75	25,000.00	99,496.66	14,709.09	--	1,692.17	--	1,962.17	16,401.26
Highway Dept Heavy Equip	24,962.65	25,000.00	3,524.73	46,437.92	--	1,010.62	--	1,010.62	47,448.54
Sewer Pump Renovation and Replacement Fund	7,485.25	1,000.00	--	8,485.25	--	234.77	--	234.77	8,720.02
Town Owned Buildings Improvement, Expansion and Renovation Fund	--	32,000.00	14,357.45	17,642.55	--	269.47	--	269.47	17,912.02
Paving	32,122.47	25,000.00	51,890.60	5,231.87	--	830.20	--	830.20	6,062.07
Police Cruiser	15,780.61	6,000.00	--	21,780.61	--	541.01	--	541.01	22,321.62
Transfer Station Repair, Replacement & Equip	36,904.78	--	--	36,904.78	--	1,099.18	--	1,099.18	38,003.96
Pay Per Bag Replacement	6,555.50	1,000.00	--	7,555.50	--	207.08	--	207.08	7,762.58
Totals	233,345.91	115,000.00	169,269.44	179,076.47	0.00	6,489.98	605.48	6,154.50	184,960.97

TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2008

	2008	2007 & Prior
Uncollected Beg Year		
Property		279,092.69
Land Use Change		12,605.00
Yield		
Excavation		1,102.18
Sewer		3,230.00
Penalties		1,046.98
Taxes Committed		
Property	1,774,606.00	
Land Use Change	16,492.50	
Yield	11,177.33	
Excavation	2,159.54	
Sewer	9,180.00	
Penalties	2,550.00	
Overpayments	1,545.82	8.37
Interest on late taxes	1,616.62	20,671.30
Total Debits	1,819,327.81	317,756.52
Remitted to Treasurer		
Property	1,524,523.35	125,340.33
Land Use Change	13,992.50	5,815.82
Yield	11,046.92	
Interest (include lien conversion)	1,616.62	20,671.30
Penalties	1,518.00	540.98
Excavation	1,333.24	
Sewer	5,387.13	765.00
Conversion to Lien Principal		164,623.09
Uncollected End of Year		
Property	251,628.47	
Land Use Change	2,500.00	
Yield	130.41	
Excavation	826.30	
Sewer	3,792.87	
Penalties	1,032.00	
Total Credits	1,819,327.81	317,756.52

	2008	2007 & Prior
Unredeemed Beg of Yr		130,512.83
Liens Executed during year	178,227.40	
Interest & Costs	6,671.42	23,754.41
Total Debits	184,898.82	154,267.24
Redemptions	123,470.74	96,010.25
Interest & Costs	6,671.42	23,754.41
Abatements	92.69	
Liens Deeded		
Unredeemed End of Year	54,663.97	34,502.58
Total Credits	184,898.82	154,267.24

TREASURER'S REPORT

General checking Account

Balance as of 1/1/08	(90,291.38)
2008 receipts	
Tax Collector	2,127,081.10
Town Clerk	149,156.50
Selectmen	199,701.60
Total Receipts	**$ 2,475,939.20**
Transfers	(75,500.00)
Bank Interest Earned	63.70
Adjustments	(.02)
2008 Payments	(2,285,194.39)
Balance 12/31/08	**$ 25,017.11**

Trust Account

Balance as of 1/1/08	252,235.06
Transfers	75,500.00
Interest	6,051.76
Balance as of 12/31/08	**$ 333,786.82**

Dalton Conservation Commission Account

Balance 1/1/2008	$ 263.46
Deposits	13,998.75
Transfers	(13,998.75)
Payments	(134.50)
Interest Earned	+ .02
Balance 12/31/2008	**$ 128.98**

Dalton Conservation Commission Trust Account

Balance 1/1/2008	$ 47,414.49
Transfers	13,998.75
Interest Earned	1,167.57
Balance 12/31/2008	**$ 62,580.81**

Sharon Tupper, Treasurer

TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

Fiscal Year Ending December 31, 2008

DEBITS

Motor Vehicle Permits Issued:	
2008 Permits Issued	$146,234.00
Dog Licenses and Penalties Collected:	
Licenses	2,060.50
Penalties	575.00
Filing Fees	2.00
Vital Statistics	285.00
TOTAL DEBITS	$149,156.50

CREDITS

Remittances to Treasurer:	
Motor Vehicle Permits	$146,234.00
Dog Licenses	2,060.50
Dog Penalties	575.00
Filing Fees	2.00
Vital Statistics	285.00
TOTAL CREDITS	$149,156.50

Respectfully submitted,
Sandra York, Town Clerk

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DALTON

DATE	NAME OF CHILD	NAME OF FATHER	NAME OF MOTHER	PLACE OF BIRTH
Jan 19	Ayden John	Morrissette, Travis	Pilotte, Crystal	Lancaster, NH
Feb 6	Macie Claire	England, David	Robinson, Jodie	Lancaster, NH
Apr 5	Daye Lynn	Emmons, Bruce	Emmons, Deanna	Littleton, NH
Aug 6	Elizabeth Marteve	Williamson, Robert	Angrand, Ghensie	Dalton, NH
Aug 26	Kyle Andrew	White, Andrew	Gragen White, Lindsay	Littleton, NH

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DALTON

DATE	NAME OF GROOM	RESIDENCE	NAME OF BRIDE	RESIDENCE
Feb 9	Stillings, John W	Dalton, NH	Belmore, Dawn E	Dalton, NH
May 31	Egli, Bruce E	Dalton, NH	Watkins, Elizabeth L	Dalton, NH
Jul 21	Williamson, Robert	Dalton, NH	Angrand, Ghensie	Dalton, NH
Aug 9	Mackenzie, John	N Stratford, NH	Parks, Katrina	Dalton, NH
Sept 13	Ordinetz, Steven	Dalton, NH	Silfvenius, Christine	Dalton, NH
Sept 19	Murphy, Kevin	Dalton, NH	Rexford, Michelle	Dalton, NH

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF DALTON

DATE	NAME OF DECEASED	PLACE OF DEATH	NAME OF FATHER	NAME OF MOTHER (MAIDEN)
Feb 26	Wood, Donald	Lancaster, NH	Wood, Kenneth	Whitehead, Hazel
Feb 27	Tarner, Joanne	Lancaster, NH	Philbrick, Clyde	Unknown, Gertrude
Apr 1	Boyle, Louise	Whitefield, NH	Rexford, Richard	Riemann, Elizabeth
Apr 4	Davis, Norman	Littleton, NH	Davis, Willard	Snyer, Edith
May 30	Cunningham, Louvia	Dalton, NH	Nelson, Ernest	Wheeler, Eva
Aug 2	Winchester, Claude	Littleton, NH	Winchester, Guy	Burrows, Helen
Sept 20	Packard, Clare	Dalton, NH	Packard, Eleazer	Derby, Dora
Nov 20	Lillie Jr, Richard	Lebanon, NH	Lillie Sr, Richard	Daine, Leona

CONSERVATION COMMISSION

This past year, 2008, the Dalton Conservation Commission (DCC) has been drafting a Conservation Plan for the natural resources of the Town of Dalton. This plan will help guide the Master Plan in meeting the direction of future growth indicated by results of the Dalton Master Plan survey. Eighty-five percent of the survey respondents stated they would like the town to maintain its rural character as we move toward future development and growth.

If you have not had a chance, please stop by our new office which is located in the Municipal Offices building (the Dalton School building). We have created an information library for the public. It contains various books, pamphlets, and fact sheets on natural resource information ranging from wetlands, soils, wildlife habitat, state wetland permitting guidelines, and several studies that the DCC has initiated within the town. Dalton's Natural Resource Inventory (NRI) maps are displayed in the office along with the NH Fish & Game Wildlife Action Plan (WAP) maps of Dalton.

We are working to create an interpretive nature trail for public use on the property behind the Municipal Office building. The DCC continues to be involved with the NH Department of Environmental Services (DES) Volunteer River Assessment Program (VRAP) and performs water quality sampling on our streams and rivers every two weeks in months without ice.

Also, the DCC is active in contributing a conservation link to the Town's website. We are hopeful the site will develop into a resource for information and source contacts beyond what the DCC itself can offer.

We welcome public attendance at our meetings which are presently held at 6:30PM on the third Thursday of each month.

DCC members are: Ed Tomashek (Chairman), Becky McVetty (Secretary), Doris Korst, John Paquette and Ed Craxton. Alternate members are Helen Delage and Nancy Comeau.

Respectfully submitted,
Ed Tomashek, Chairman

DALTON FIRE DEPARTMENT ANNUAL REPORT

The Dalton Fire Department responded to 33 calls. We responded to 8 car accidents, 5 power lines down, 1 chimney fire, 8 structure fires, 6 alarm activations, 1 electrical fire, 2 lift assists for the ambulance, and 2 illegal burns.

In 2008 we added some new firefighters to our roster and their time and dedication is a welcome addition. As a department we spent a lot more time on our training and updating department policies. In November we took delivery of our new pumper truck (engine). We have since put the truck to good use responding to many calls and training with the pump. This truck is greatly appreciated by the department and we would like to thank the town's people again for their support.

I would like to thank all the members of the Highway Department, the Dalton Auxiliary, and the town's people for their support. I would also like to take this opportunity to recognize our department's members, because without them our department would not be here to help our town's people in their time of need, and these members make my job that much easier to do. I would like to thank all the members and their families for all that they do for this department. Many times the family members are forgotten, with their sacrifices because we had to leave during a birthday party for our kids, a holiday gathering, or just in the middle of the night to answer to the tone when it goes off. Thank you.

Dalton Fire Department Roster
Ron Sheltry, Bob Wentworth, Tom McVetty, Mark Jacobs, John Bean, Aarron Packard, Rob Blanchette, Allan Blakslee, James Serwood, Dan Way, Eric McVetty, Bob Giroux, Shawn Giroux, Jeff Young, Chris Hadley, Harvey Call Jr, Ed Stark, Fred Paul, Carol Sheltry.

Fire prevention suggestions
Always have an escape plan and a meeting place, make sure you practice this plan with all family members. Remember when cleaning your driveway to keep all doorways clear of snow and ice.

Respectfully submitted,
Brett Hucksoll
Dalton Fire Department Chief

DALTON HIGHWAY DEPARTMENT

We lost a wonderful friend when Dean Sweeney passed away recently. Dean was actively involved with our town having been a selectman for 18 years and volunteering on projects too numerous to list. Dean took a special interest in the highway department. His wisdom, advice and support can not be replaced and his friendship will be forever missed.

Reggie Rodger is retiring after more than forty years with the highway department. Reg will no longer be out on the roads, but since he will be continuing his work at the transfer station we won't be losing him entirely. We wish Reggie a happy, healthy retirement and thank him for all his years of dedication to our town.

An outside wood burner was purchased and installed to help defray the rising cost of fuel. We anticipate it saving tax dollars for years to come.

With a struggling economy, the highway department is doing all it can to reduce costs and spending. We don't however want to compromise on the quality of our road care. As always, we appreciate hearing any and all concerns and suggestions. The number to call is 837-9821. Be sure to leave a message, and every effort will be made to return calls in as timely a manner as possible.

Respectfully submitted,
Robert C. Wentworth Jr
Road Agent

PLANNING BOARD

During 2008 the Planning Board had few applications presented to them. Because of this we were able to spend our time on other items. We forwarded the Master Plan discussed at last year's public hearings to the Town's lawyers for their suggestions, we updated the rules and procedures the board follows, and we attended training classes.

When the town offices relocated to the new municipal building the Planning Board also relocated. Upon the Selectmen's invitation, we set up our files in their meeting room. The Conservation Commission also agreed to this invitation and we are now able to share resources. The Planning Board purchased a new printer / copier that was set up in this room for use by these three boards. With the laptop the Planning Board purchased in a prior year, we are now able to utilize this printer and all our files, reports, and applications. Having our office space in the same room as our meetings is an asset to the functionality of the Planning Board. This move has improved the quality of service the board can supply to its applicants and their abutters.

Future plans for the board include continued training as well as updating our regulations to be sure we comply with current State requirements.

As always, we appreciate any public input. Please join us on the first Wednesday of every month at 7pm for our regularly scheduled meetings.

Respectfully submitted,
John Letson
Chairman

LIBRARY TREASURER'S REPORT

Financial Report Jan 1 - Dec 31, 2008

Starting balance:		
Children's Programs & Services CD	10,000.00	
	4,536.22	14,536.
Receipts:		
Town of Dalton	11,833.00	
Memory tree 2007	214.60	
Donations	46.50	
Supper	104.00	
Book Sale	233.55	
Friends of the Library-cost of shelves	400.00	
NHLTA Scholarship	70.00	
Silver Tea sales	67.50	
Total Receipts:		12,969.
Available funds:		27,505.
Expenses:		
Salary	8,112.00	
Payroll Taxes	620.55	
Education & Conferences	543.00	
Dues	120.00	
Telephone & Internet	1,716.53	
Supplies	395.43	
Books, etc	1,088.12	
Programs	144.28	
Computer	399.00	
Shelving from UNH	400.00	
Total Expended:		13,538.
Ending Balance:		13,966.
Children's Program & Services CD	10,000.00	
	3,966.46	

Jean Abbott
Treasurer

LIBRARIAN REPORT

CIRCULATION:	
Adult Materials	1358
Children's Materials	925
Magazines, Videos, etc.	154
TOTAL CIRCULATION:	2437
New Borrowers	10
Regular Hours Open	480
Volunteer Hours Open	278
ACCESSIONS:	
Adult Materials	189
Children's Materials	162
Reference Materials	19
Video / Audio	23
Periodicals	7
TOTAL ACCESSIONS:	400

The Dalton Public Library provides programs during winter and summer for children of all ages. Nancy Comeau of the NH Fish & Game provided a program of animals that live in our area. She brought pelts for the children to see and touch. A huge thank you to Amy Ingerson for bringing bubbles to our summer reading program, ICE CREAM FOR BOOKS.

Are you in need of a FAX, copier or computer to use? The library has these available for you to use. Two more computers for public use will be available in the library over the next two years through a grant provided by the Gates Foundation; giving us a total of three.

Many of the books in our collection are provided by donations from area libraries and patrons and we thank them for all materials. Books and other materials not used for the collection are put in our book sales and we use this money to purchase more. At present we have a couple of patrons whom have adopted authors, where they purchase all the books by their author and then donate them to us.

The activities and happenings here are accomplished with the help of the many volunteers that provide time, assistance and money. We thank all who have been so generous with their donations and gifts to the library.

The library hours are: Monday 2-5 Wednesday 3-8 and Saturday 10-noon.

Respectfully submitted,
Doris Mitton, Librarian

POLICE DEPARTMENT

Again in 2008 the Police Department experienced change. With the acquisition of the Dalton school by the town for use as a municipal building and a community center the police department along with the other town offices relocated into new quarters. Construction required by the move was completed by volunteers with no taxpayer funds expended. Due to the generosity of the Passumpsic Bank the department was able to acquire numerous items of furniture, again without cost to the taxpayers. It should be noted that several items of furniture were also obtained for the EOC and the meeting room.

Members of the police department logged two thousand four hundred and fifty three (2,453) hours of service for the town. This year there were 299 dispatched calls from Troop F, not counting the calls for service received at the department. The case breakdown of call is as follows:

Simple Assault	3	Burglary	8
Theft from a Building	2	Theft from a MV	4
All other larceny	2	MV Theft	3
Forgery	1	Vandalism	4
Statutory Rape	1	Bad Checks	5
Disorderly Conduct	2	DWI	2
Family Offenses non violent	1	Liquor Law Violations	8
Trespass	4	All other offenses	8
Accidents Requiring Investigation	17	Full Custody Arrests	12
		Field interviews	14
Traffic Citations/Warnings	250	Calls for service	127
911 Hang up calls	19	Alarm Calls	11

Please remember that 911 is an emergency number. If you should mistakenly dial 911 instead of another number like 991 (a cell prefix) don't just hang up. Once you hit the last digit it will go through and be reported as a 911 hang up requiring a response by the police/fire department. Stay on the line and advise them you have mis-dialed.

The Police Department business phone number is 837-2703, if you have an emergency please dial 911 and assistance will be forthcoming. If you need to speak to an officer and the business number goes to voice mail please leave a message. For a more timely response please call Troop F (Department Dispatch) at 846-3333 and they will dispatch a Dalton officer.

Thank you for your continuing support.

Respectfully submitted
John E. Tholl Jr.
Chief of Police

EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

2008 saw many changes to Dalton's Emergency Management. Not the least of which was the move from the old Town Hall to the space in the new building. While this move is not complete, it is progressing in the right direction. The computer and telephones have been relocated and new furniture has been donated by the Passumpsic Bank. Still to come is the relocation of the emergency generator and a few minor construction items.

2008 also saw the updating of the Dalton Emergency Operations Plan by means of a grant from Emergency Management as well as the completion of the online NIMS registration requirement that FEMA required. Some training has been accomplished towards full NIMS compliance and that training will continue. The town has applied for a grant to assist in the relocation of the generator as well as other items in the new building.

Respectfully submitted,
John E. Tholl Jr.
EMD

THE MERCIER GROUP
INDEPENDENT AUDITOR'S REPORT

We have audited the financial statements of the governmental activities, each major fund and the aggregate remaining fund information of the Town of Dalton, New Hampshire as of and for the year ended December 31, 2007, which collectively comprise the Town's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These basic financial statements are the responsibility of management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these basic financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with auditing standards that are generally accepted in the United States of America. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the basic financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the basic financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall general-purpose financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the basic financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of the Town of Dalton, as of December 31, 2007, and the results of its operations and the cash flows of its private-purpose trust funds for the year then ended in conformity with generally accepted accounting principles.

Management has not presented a management's discussion and analysis of the financial statements. Although it is not required to be part of the basic financial statements, United States generally accepted accounting principals considers it required supplementary information.

Our audit was performed for the purpose of forming opinions on the basic financial statements taken as a whole. The accompanying schedules listed in the table of contents are presented for purposes of additional analysis and are not a required part of the basic financial statements. Such information has been subjected to the auditing procedures applied in the audit of the basic financial statements and, in our opinion, is fairly presented in all material respects in relation to the basic financial statements taken as a whole.

Note: Due to the auditor's scheduling the 2008 audit has not yet been performed.

WEEKS HOME HEALTH & HOSPICE SERVICES

Weeks Medical Center-Home Health and Hospice is grateful for the opportunity to serve the residents of Dalton and greatly appreciates your continued support and confidence. Town funding is critically important and is used to assist families and individuals who are unable to pay for Home Health and Hospice Services and to support care where funding does not cover direct costs.

Our Home Health and Hospice Services continue to provide Dalton residents with a wide range of services. Weeks Home Health and Hospice provides continuity of health care from the hospital to patients' homes. Services include skilled nursing; physical, occupational and speech therapies; licensed home health aides; homemakers; medical social services; intravenous therapies and care to the terminally ill.

Our Medicare Certified Hospice program continues to provide excellent palliative care to the terminally ill. Weeks Hospice is a special kind of holistic care...focusing on the emotional and spiritual needs of the family, as well as the physical needs of the patient at the end of life. No one is refused care based on an inability to pay. Over the last year, an increasing number of hospice patients received care, support and love from our nurses, aides and volunteers. To celebrate their memory, a luminary service was held and many residents from area towns were in attendance.

Thank you for you continuing support and confidence.

CALEB INTERFAITH VOLUNTEER CAREGIVERS

The Caleb Interfaith Volunteer Caregivers, a not-for-profit organization which was established in October of 1995, continues to provide services to older adults in 8 northern NH communities. Caleb's heartfelt mission is to enhance independent living for seniors (60+), by relieving isolation and assisting with friendly visits, care and supportive services through a network of volunteers and the fostering of caring communities.

In 2008, Caleb Caregivers assisted more than 311 Bethlehem, Dalton, Groveton, Jefferson, Lancaster, Littleton, Twin Mountain and Whitefield seniors. Over $52,013.66 worth of services were provided FREE to clients. Caleb's 84 active volunteers donated over 2,666 hours and drove over 37,295 miles to help their older neighbors remain independent! Without these dedicated volunteers, Caleb would not exist. These volunteers give their time, their talents and most of all their hearts. Transportation to medical appointments and running errands is one of the most requested services through Caleb. This year, Caleb volunteers drove an additional 11,113 miles compared to 2007. This was due to the fuel crisis scare. Seniors that were driving themselves could not afford the gas and turned to Caleb for assistance. Many of Caleb's trips were local, but some of our trips took us to DHMC, North Conway, Manchester, Concord, White River Junction, St. Johnsbury and Boston. It costs $2.25 per mile to take a ride in a local taxicab, and Caleb's rides are provided free of charge.

Transportation is only one of the services that Caleb volunteers provide. Caleb volunteers provide other services as well; friendly visiting, telephone reassurance, help with chores, paperwork, computer training and light housekeeping are to name a few. Caleb volunteers also assist with various community programs, such as the Commodity Supplemental Food Program. This state program is available, every other month, to NH seniors that are 60+ and that financially qualify. Caleb volunteers help distribute this food to seniors, who are totally homebound. Caleb volunteers also assist with the Pet Food Project, which has grown by leaps and bounds. Since this project began, in October of 2002, Caleb has distributed over 27 tons of FREE pet food/litter to help seniors feed their pets! Caleb has added another service to its list. It is called Project Cool Air. With funding received from the Lancaster and Littleton Rotaries, Caleb purchased and distributed air conditioners/fans to seniors that needed the appliances during the summer months. Most of the seniors that received these appliances had COPD or some other health related condition. Without the various services that Caleb provides, many older adults who need just a little extra help to continue living independently, might have had to go into a nursing home. The average cost of nursing home care is $185.00 per day.

There are no fees for the services that are provided by the Caleb Caregivers. The program is funded through grants, fundraisers, donations and generous appropriations of the towns in which the services are provided. We want to thank the residents of Dalton for their support and for making it possible for us to continue our mission of serving seniors in need. The $1,650 appropriated at last year's Town Meeting was greatly appreciated, and we ask for your continued support in 2009.

Volunteers are always in great demand, so if you would like to become a volunteer, request a volunteer, or know someone who would benefit from our services, please call the Caleb Office at 837-9179, or contact one of the Board Members.

Neighbors helping neighbors is what Caleb is all about, and it is what the North Country residents are all about, too!

Respectfully submitted,
BOBBIE GAUDES
Executive Director

Board of Directors

Larry Berg, President - Whitefield
Myra Emerson, Clerk - Lancaster
David Glover, Treasurer - Whitefield
Rev. Virginia Alvarez - Lancaster
Marie Dubreuil - Jefferson
Vicki Gunderson - Whitefield
John Roberge - Groveton
Carl Rod - Jefferson
Gail Tattan-Giampaolo - Maidstone, VT

LUNENBURG, GILMAN, CONCORD SENIOR CITIZENS, INC

The Senior Center, independently run, is located on Riverside Avenue, in Gilman, Vermont.

Our kitchen served 8742 meals this year to people 60 years old and their spouses. This includes Homebound deliveries in Lunenburg, Gilman, Concord and Guildhall. Congregate and Homebound meals are served Tuesdays - Fridays at 12:00 noon.

Homebound meals are delivered by volunteers, with their vehicles. At this time we deliver from Kirby Mountain all the way to Guildhall. The Area Agency on Aging gives them a mileage reimbursement.

An advocate from the Area Agency on Aging for Northeastern Vermont, located in St. Johnsbury is available to help people with food stamps, fuel assistance, Social Security, and Medicaid/Medicare. Volunteers are available to help with Tax Rebates, and Companionship. Information about these programs is available by calling the Area Agency on Aging at 1-800-642-5119.

The center sponsors many events that are open to the public. The Center now has bingo each and every Monday at 6:30 in the evening. We have been blessed with folks who have been wiling to help out with bingo and the Senior Center has enjoyed the fruits of the labor as we were able to get some expensive repairs done that were urgently needed. We thank everyone so much for their support as the money is well spent on the extra repairs and materials that we would never have been able to afford otherwise. The Center also has trips, sponsors flu shots, blood pressure clinics, and gets help to do tax returns in the spring.

The fourth Thursday of each month is "Bookmarks" at the Alden Balch library in Lunenburg. Programs , books and refreshments on special occasions are available through this program.

Also available is the Commodities Supplemental Food Program (CSFP) which is for people 60 years old or older. This is delivered in the parking lot the 2nd Friday of the month for information please call the Area Agency on Aging 1-800-642-5119 or the Food Bank for an application at 1-800-241-4648.

The Emergency Food Assistance Program (T.E.F.A.P.) is another service the Senior Center offers through the Vermont Food Bank to income eligible families, regardless of age. Volunteers inventory, bag, and distribute the food approximately the 3rd week of each month. We bagged and handed out roughly 960 bags of food to needy families last year. For assistance, either stop by the Senior Center Tues-Fri or call (802)892-6616.

Our famous "Boutique" is open Tuesday thru Friday 9:00am to noon or by appointment. Clothing donations are gratefully accepted. The Boutique is also used to help victims of "fire losses" as they are invited in to get whatever they need or want at no cost to help them get back on their feet.

Continued community support for the center will go a long way to help keep services for the elderly available, where and when it is needed. We would like everyone to know also that we have some medical equipment such as porta-pottys, tub chairs, walkers, canes, crutches, and sometimes, wheelchairs that we loan out, at no cost, to anyone in need! We are always in need of volunteers to help keep our programs going.

The Center got a grant from Senator Bernie Sanders office to do some very much needed repairs and renovations. We will probably hold a "Grand Opening" in the Spring as the Center has a whole new inside face now. We are very proud of the work that has been done and everyone that has seen it so far agrees.

We have had some furnace and heating problems, and I'm trying to obtain some grants to help put in a new boiler. The cost of fuel is, of course, the one problem we all face.

For more information please call (802) 892-6616.

I respectfully thank you for all considerations that you give our Senior Center.

Edward G Wheelock
President / Chairman

WHITE MOUNTAIN MENTAL HEALTH & COMMON GROUND

Each year this report provides town residents with a summary of the services we offer in your community, as well as an overview of our accomplishments and challenges during the past year. But perhaps even more importantly, writing this report gives us a chance to publicly thank you for your confidence in our organization as demonstrated by your financial support. The money we receive from our towns is absolutely crucial in allowing White Mountain Mental Health to offer expert mental health services at a discounted rate based on our sliding fee scale. For our developmental services program, Common Ground, town funds assist us in offering the kinds of supports that are not funded by other sources; dental care is one good example. So, let me begin this year's report with an enormus "thank you" for recognizing the value of mental health and developmental services to the residents of your community.

It is impossible to read a newspaper or turn on the television without being reminded of the dismal state of our economy. During times like these, mental and emotional symptoms increase dramatically. Mentally healthy people develop anxiety and depression as they face job loss, dwindling savings and an uncertain future. It is common to "self medicate" with alcohol as a way of coping with these feelings. Children who live in a family under stress may begin to experience problems at school as they react to the changes they see in their parents. For families supporting a member with a significant developmental disability, the ability to deal with the special needs of that family member can be compromised when the family is under economic and emotion pressure. Our services offer assistance in facing these challenges.

This year we are especially proud and excited to be able to offer the first Child Telepsychiatry Program in the region. Children and their families meet face-to-face with Dr. Craig Donnelly, Director of Child Psychiatry at Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, via a television connection at our Littleton office. With the flip of a switch, a service that had previously been unavailable to children in the North Country is now available. Thanks to your support, families have access to one of the finest Child Psychiatrists in the country. The initiation of this service on our sliding fee scale to low income families is made possible by town support.

We offer an array of high quality services that are available to everyone in the community. You may never need to access most of these services, but their availability is critical. Our core services include:

- 24 hour crisis intervention and assessment service for mental health emergencies
- Individual, marriage and family counseling, offered by highly trained mental health professionals with a variety of specialties
- Medication consulation to local physicians by Board certified psychiatrists
- "Full-life" supports for persons with serious and persistent mental illness, including housing, vocational and case management services
- Individualized home placements for more than fifty persons with developmental disabilities
- Substance abuse prevention and treatment by our staff of licensed alcohol and drug abuse counselors

Service Statistics:

- In 2008, 24 residents of the town of Dalton received 217.75 hours of outpatient mental health or substance abuse treatment services at a discounted rate on our sliding fee scale.
- 106 families in our area received extensive assistance in supporting a person with a developmental disability.

Thank you for your continued support.

Respectfully submitted,
Jane c Mackay, LICSW
Area Director

MOUNT WASHINGTON REGIONAL AIRPORT

I'm writing to thank you for your support of the Mount Washington Regional Airport and to once again ask for your financial support for the coming year.

As we endure difficult economic times, you should be proud of the work done by the all-volunteer crew that runs the Mount Washington Regional Airport. As a local taxpayer–and non-pilot, by the way–I know I am.

Factors that affected the nation affected airport users, as well. The continued rise of fuel prices in 2008 led to a modest decline in air traffic for the year. That said, our volunteer manager aggressively managed inventory and retail pricing to maximize our returns as prices increased. Fuel sales accounted for more than 78% of our operational revenue.

For 2008, The Mount Washington Regional Airport continued with its plan for growth and expansion. A program to develop a parallel taxiway, which will provide a significant level of added safety for aircraft on the ground, is continuing. Studies are also underway for the planning and design of a precision instrument landing system at Whitefield. When complete, Mt Washington Regional will be just one of a few airports in northern New England to have such a system.

Over the past several years, our ability to get $39 in capital improvement money for each dollar we raise has led to the infusion of millions of dollars into our economy. This represents jobs that go to New Hampshire residents–including those from our contributing towns as well as products purchased from local businesses. We expect to continue bringing such investments into the North Country.

But we can't do it alone. We count on your continued support at your town meeting, and we welcome your participation at our meetings–as a volunteer airport leader, if you wish, or as a member of the public.

We are proud to have kept the contribution rate flat again this year, 75 cents per capita. In spite of higher energy costs, we believe our efforts to boost revenue from fuel sales, equitable user fees, and the use of volunteers to help manage the facility lets us keep the town obligation stable, while still providing benefits to residents and businesses in each of our communities. Year 2000 US Census place your 2007 contribution at $696.

Sincerely,
David Willis, commission Chairman
Mt Washington Regional Airport

REPORT TO THE PEOPLE OF COUNCIL DISTRICT ONE

As I start my 31st and 32nd years of service to this large Northern Council District, I am hopeful and excited for new opportunities for rural America. With a new administration in Washington new economic programs are in the future. Our role at the state, county and local level is to have justified applications that will be used to stimulate job retention and creation. County and regional economic development councils coupled with community action agencies will be putting these new initiatives to work.

The NH Congressional Delegation - Senator Judd Gregg, Senator Jeanne Shaheen, Congressman Paul Hodes and Congresswoman Carol Shea Porter joining other Northeastern states of Maine, Vermont, New York and other New England congressman can cause new resources to become available. I urge that we, at the state, county and local levels of government, step up with our concerns and let them know our needs.

2009 will start another year of the 10-year NH Transportation Plan. Planning process working through the Regional Planning Commissions. Transportation Enhancement and Congestion Mitigation Air quality grants are back in play. Contact William Watson at NH DOT for details at 271-3344 or Bwatson@dot.state.nh.us.

The 2009 session of the NH House and Senate will be a trying time with proposed cutbacks and how to still provide and meet constitutional and statutory needs. Be watchful of proposed legislation passing costs to county and local levels of government.

The Governor and Council are always looking for volunteers to serve on the dozens of boards and commissions. If you are interested please send your resume to Governor John Lynch, State House, 107 North Main Street, Concord. NH 03301 attention Jennifer Kuzma Director of Appointments/Liasion or at (603) 271-2121. A complete list is available at the NH Secretary of State website at www.sos.nh.gov/redbook/index.htm.

My office has available informational items; NH Constitution, tourist maps, consumer handbooks, etc. I send, via email, a Monday morning schedule. Send me your email address to be added to the list if you'd like at rburton@nh.gov.

Please contact my office anytime I can be of assistance to you.

Raymond S. Burton

NORTH COUNTRY COUNCIL

I would like to thank all of you for your support of the council this past year. We have made a number of positive changes and completed a number of projects throughout the region. Once again, we reaffirmed the Council's commitment to serve community and regional needs.

Over the past year, we have continued to deliver planning and economic development services throughout the region. We have and we will continue to adjust our capacities to respond to the needs of the communities and I think you will see this in the programs that we will be introducing in the coming years. The North Country Council has continued its strong relationship with the Department of Commerce and the Economic Development Administration (EDA) in bringing funding and project development to the region. As we all know, these are tough economic times and we will be working with our State and Federal elected officials to do whatever we can to assist our communities economically. We will continue our Community Planning Outreach program targeted at helping our planning boards in the difficult tasks of managing the planning activities in their communities. We will continue to seek your input as to the communities' needs and, as always, be providing the necessary techinical support and education as our resources allow. These programs as well as all the other traditional programs in master planning, solid waste management, grant writing, natural resource planning. Brownfields assessments, and transportation planning will continue to be the focus of North Country Council. Please take the time to look over our Annual Report and give us some feedback as to where you think the Council could improve and how we might better serve our communities.

Again, thank you for all of your support for the Council and hope that I and my staff can continue to be of service to your community. The Council is here to serve you. It is your organization. Our staff and board are committed to responding to community need. If there is a project or a need in your town, please call us. We are dedicated to both supporting our individual towns and promoting regional unity in the North Country.

Respectfully submitted,
Michael King
Executive Director

2008 TOWN MEETING MINUTES

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in Dalton, NH on Tuesday, the 11th day of March 2008, to act upon the itemized subjects to follow. The polls will open at 8 a.m. in the forenoon and will close at 7 p.m. The business meeting will be held at the Dalton School Gymnasium and will be opened at 7 o'clock in the evening.

1. To elect all necessary officers for the year.

SELECTMEN FOR 3 YEARS

Victor St. Cyr	152 votes
Ruth Halloran	1 vote
Ed Stevens	1 vote

MODERATOR FOR 2 YEARS

Jeff Woodburn	14 votes
Maggie Michaud	9 votes
Carroll Rexford	1 vote
J. Colburn	1 vote
Bernette Sudol	1 vote
Pam Kathan	2 votes
David Hannan	1 vote
Charlie Packard	3 votes
Mike Crosby	1 vote
Frank Tillotson	1 vote

Sandra York	1 vote
Ed Stevens	1 vote

LIBRARY TRUSTEE 3 YEARS

Rose Poekert	1 vote
Jean Abbott	12 votes
Don Mooney	1 vote
Reg Rodger	1 vote
Nancy Comeau	1 vote
Sharon Tupper	1 vote
Tammy York	1 vote
Sandra York	1 vote
Nancy Smith	1 vote
Doris Mitton	1 vote

LIBARARY TRUSTEE 2 YEARS

Judith Picard	155 votes

SUPERVISOR CHECKLIST 6 YRS

Jessie Wentworth	163 votes
Terri Jones	1 vote

TRUSTEE TRUST FUNDS 3 YEARS

Terri Jones	1 vote
Nancy McVetty	1 vote
Bruce Walsh	4 votes
Bill Rzepa	1 vote
Brian Hardy	1 vote
Vera Smith	1 vote
William Howe	1 vote
Richard Sudol	1 vote
Tammy York	1 vote
Sharon Tupper	1 vote
Charlie Packard	1 vote

2. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Two Hundred Twenty Six Thousand Dollars ($226,000) for the purchase of a new Fire Department Pumper Truck (engine) and to authorize the issuance of not more than One Hundred Twenty Six Thousand Dollars ($126,000) of bonds or notes in accordance with the provisions of the Municipal Finance Act

(RSA 33) and to authorize the Selectmen to issue and negotiate such bonds or notes and to determine the rate of interest thereon and furthermore; to authorize the withdrawal of One Hundred Thousand Dollars ($100,000) from the Fire Department Major Vehicle Capital Reserve Fund created for that purpose. A 2/3 ballot vote is required. Selectmen recommend this article.
Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept the article as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.
Motion made to amend the article to say article 2 is contingent on article 6 passing. Motion made by Michele Rzepa, seconded by Gene Gainer.

AMENDMENT PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

ARTICLE 2 VOTED ON BY BALLOT. POLES LEFT OPEN FOR ONE HOUR. 104 - VOTES CAST: YES VOTES - 93 NO VOTES - 11
ARTICLE 2 PASSED.

3. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Seven Hundred Forty Thousand Seven Hundred Two Dollars ($740,702) for general Town operations.
Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 3 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

Motion made to amend article 3 to read: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Hundred Twenty Thousand ($620,000) for general town operations as opposed to the 740,702 that was previously requested. Motion made by Michele Rzepa, seconded by Gene Gainer.

AMENDMENT FAILED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.
ARTICLE 3 AS WRITTEN PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

4. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000) to be added to the Highway Department Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established for the purchase and replacement of highway equipment. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 4 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

ARTICLE 4 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

5. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) to be added to the Sewer Pump Renovation and Replacement Capital Reserve Fund previously established. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 5 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

ARTICLE 5 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

6. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000) to be added to the Fire Department Major Vehicle Equipment Capital Reserve Fund previously established for the purchase and replacement of fire equipment. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 6 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

ARTICLE 6 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

7. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Six Thousand Dollars ($6,000) to be added to the Police Cruiser Capital Reserve Fund previously established for the purchase of a new cruiser. Selectmen recommend this article.
Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 7 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

ARTICLE 7 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

8. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty Five Thousand Dollars ($25,000) to be added to the Highway Paving Capital Reserve Fund. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 8 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

Motion made to amend the article to read: To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of $10,000 to be added to the Highway Paving Capital Reserve Fund as opposed to the request of $25,000.

Motion to amend made by Gene Gainer, seconded by Charles Rigsby.

AMENDMENT FAILED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

ARTICLE 8 AS WRITTEN PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

9. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate One Thousand Dollars ($1,000) to be added to the Pay Per Bag Replacement Expendable Trust Fund previously established for the repurchase of bags for the "Pay Per Bag" system. The source of these funds will be 25 cents from each bag sold. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 9 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

ARTICLE 9 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

10. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Five Thousand Dollars ($5,000) to be placed in the Fire Department Major Vehicle Equipment Capital Reserve Fund. Such funds to come from the sale of the 1977 GMC 6500 Fire Dept engine. The Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 10 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

ARTICLE 10 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

11. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) to be placed in the Highway Department Major Equipment Capital Reserve Fund. Such funds to come from the sale of the 1989 FR9B Fiat loader. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 11 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.
Motion made to amend the article to read Highway Department Heavy Equipment Capital Reserve Fund. Motion made by Michele Rzepa, seconded by Gene Gainer.

AMENDMENT PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS

ARTICLE 11 AS AMENDED PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

12. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Ninety Five Dollars ($4,195.00) for the purchase of a Digital Ally in Car Video System. A minimum of 50% will come from a Highway Safety Agency Grant. Other sources for funding will be sought. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 12 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr, seconded by Michael Crosby to allow Chief Tholl to speak on this article.
Permission to speak granted by voter card. Chief Tholl explained what the equipment was.

ARTICLE 12 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

13. To see if the Town will vote to establish a Capital Reserve Fund under the provisions of RSA 35:1 for the purpose of improving, expanding and renovating of town owned buildings and to raise and appropriate the sum of Thirty Two Thousand Dollars ($32,000) to be placed in this fund. This fund to be named the Town Owned Buildings Improvement, Expansion and Renovation Fund. Also to see if the Town will appoint the Selectmen as agents to expend from this account. The source of these funds will come from the unreserved fund balance. No taxes will be raised from this appropriation. Majority vote required. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 13 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.
After much discussion Motion was made by Victor St.Cyr to move the question, seconded by Michael Crosby.
Motion to move the question passed by show of voter cards

Hand count called for. Total votes 85. YES - 62 votes NO - 23. ARTICLE 13 PASSED.

14. To see if the Town will vote to accept the Dalton Elementary School property (tax map 403 lot 60) from the White Mountains Regional School District. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 14 as passed, seconded by Michael Crosby.

After much discussion Motion was made by Brett Hucksoll to move the question, seconded by Victor St.Cyr.

Motion to move the question passed by show of voter cards.

ARTICLE 14 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

15. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Twenty One Thousand One Hundred Dollars ($21,100) to purchase a 2008 police cruiser and authorize the withdrawal of Twenty One Thousand One Hundred Dollars ($21,100) from the Police Department Cruiser Capital Reserve Fund created for that purpose. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 15 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.

Permission was granted by the voting body for Chief Tholl to speak on this article. Voting this article in means we would have 2 cruisers.

After a lengthy discussion Motion was made to move the question by Michael Crosby, seconded by Victor St.Cyr.

Motion to move the question passed by show of voter cards.

ARTICLE 15 - HAND COUNT
YES VOTES - 29 NO VOTES - 52 ARTICLE 15 FAILED

16. To see if the Town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars ($10,000) for the purpose of a total revaluation of the Dalton Hydro Dam. Selectmen recommend this article.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to accept article 16 as read, seconded by Michael Crosby.
ARTICLE 16 PASSED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

17. To see if the Town will vote to require that the Annual Town Report contain an itemized list of each expenditure made by every department as that which is reflected in the Town of Bath's Annual Report. Petitioned article

Motion made by Michele Rzepa to accept article 17 as read, seconded by Jay McCusker.

ARTICLE 17 FAILED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

18. To see if the Town will vote to require that all town minutes be recorded in their entirety and printed as such, thereby they will then reflect the actual content and dialogue between the selectmen and the participants at the town meeting, thereby town residents can obtain a more precise and accurate understanding and record of town affairs. Petitioned article

Motion made by Michele Rzepa to accept article 18 as read, seconded by Gene Gainer.
After a lengthy discussion a Motion made by Aaron Packard to move the question, seconded by Victor St.Cyr.
Motion to move the question passed by show of voter cards

ARTICLE 18 FAILED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

19. To see if the Town will vote to require that all town minutes be posted in the town hall, town office as well as on the front door to the town offices. Petitioned article.

Motion made by Michele Rzepa to accept article 19 as read, seconded by Gene Gainer.
After much discussion a Motion to move the question was made by Aaron Packard and seconded by Victor St.Cyr.
Motion to move the question passes by show of voter cards.

ARTICLE 19 FAILED BY SHOW OF VOTER CARDS.

20. To transact any other business that may legally come before the meeting.

The Board of Selectmen presented retiring Moderator, Charles Packard, with an engraved rosewood gavel and base.

Representative John Tholl read a recognition of services to Moderator Charles Packard from the House of Representative.

Chairman Brian Hardy read a proclamation from Governor Lynch on the Town of Dalton's 200th annual town meeting.

Motion made by Victor St.Cyr to adjourn the meeting, seconded by Michael Crosby.

Motion to adjourn approved by show of voter cards.
Meeting adjourned at: 9:30 PM

Respectfully submitted:
Sandra B. York, Dalton Town Clerk

NOTES

DATE DUE

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PHONE NUMBERS

To Report Any Emergency	DIAL 911
Canine Control Officers, Kathy Barden	837-9402
Fire Department - non emergency	837-3100
Highway Garage	837-9821
Library	837-2751
Police Department - non emergency	837-2703
Selectmen's Office	837-2092
Tax Collector	837-9802
Town Clerk	837-2092
Fax Line	837-9642

TOWN OFFICE HOURS

Highway Department	7:00 AM - 3:30 PM Mon-Fri
Library	2:00 PM - 5:00PM Mon
	3:00 PM - 8:00PM Wed
	10:00 AM - 12 noon Sat
Police Department	5:00 PM - 8:00 PM Mon
Selectmen's Office &	11:00 AM to 5:45 PM Mon
Town Clerk	7:00 AM to 5:00 PM Tues,Wed,Thur
Tax Collector	4:00 PM to 7:00 PM Mon
	9:00 AM to 12:00PM Thurs
Transfer Station	12 noon to 5:00 PM Tues
	8:00 AM to 5:00 PM Sat

Selectmen meet every Monday (except holidays) at 6:00 PM at the Municipal Offices
Planning Board meets the 1st Wednesday of the month at 7:00 PM at the Municipal Offices
Conservation Commission meets the 3rd Thursday of the month at 6:30 PM at the Municipal Offices

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TOWN OFFICERS

SELECTMEN

Michael Crosby	Term Expires 2009
Brian Hardy	Term Expires 2010
Victor St.Cyr	Term Expires 2011

TOWN CLERK
Sandra B. York
Term Expires 2009

TAX COLLECTOR
Jessie Wentworth
Term Expires 2009

TREASURER
Sharon Tupper
Term Expires 2010

AUDITOR
Mercier Group

TRUSTEE OF THE TRUST FUNDS
Tammy Letson, Anna Gilbody, Bruce Walsh

POLICE CHIEF
John E. Tholl, Jr.

FIRE CHIEF
Brett Hucksoll

ROAD AGENT
Robert C. Wentworth, Jr.

HEALTH OFFICER
Shawn St.Cyr

MODERATOR
Jeff Woodburn

CIVIL DEFENSE OFFICER
John E. Tholl, Jr.

LIBRARIAN
Doris Mitton

LIBRARY TRUSTEES

Margaret Michaud	Term Expires 2009
Judith Picard	Term Expires 2010
Jean Abbott	Term Expires 2011

PLANNING BOARD

John Letson, Chairman	Appointment Expires 2009
William Howe	Appointment Expires 2009
Nancy McVetty	Appointment Expires 2010
Brian Hardy (ex-officio)	Appointment Expires 2010
Sandra York	Appointment Expires 2011

SUPERVISORS OF THE CHECKLIST

Doris Mitton	Term Expires 2010
Kenneth McCullock	Term Expires 2012
Jessie Wentworth	Term Expires 2014

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